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Good evening ladies and gentlemen and welcome once more to the Northolme - and tonight we have Football League opponents in Sheffield Wednesday, who are here to play in this testimonial game for our former Goalkeeper Wilson Rose.

First and foremost, we must express our grateful thanks to the directors of Sheffield Wednesday, and to their manager Mr. Jack Charlton in agreeing to visit our town, for without doubt they have a busy enough schedule in the Football League, but such is their interest in assisting with this worthy cause that there was never any hesitation about making the trip to the Northolme.

Sheffield Wednesday is one of the foremost household names in the footballing world throughout the country, for they've always been regarded as a progressive club, though results may not have always been as pleasing as they might like, and of course their most magnificent Hillsborough Stadium is always high on the list whenever the top representative and F.A. Cup semi-finals are being staged. Manager Jack Charlton needs little introduction to any football fan, or for that matter, even persons who have no interest in our game, for he was a member of the England World Cup team that won the coveted trophy in 1966, along with his brother Bobby; and Jack also won innumerable honours as a member of the Leeds United team in the earlier part of the 1970's under the management of

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Don Revie.

Mr.Charlton was in Lincolnshire only last Friday when he was over at Sincel Bank.Lincoln, where he figured in the transfer of Tony Tynan to the 'Inps' for a record fee of £33.000, paid out by the Lincoln club.

Another member of the staff at Hillsborough is the former Liverpool and Scotland player, Ian St.John, as coach,whose name has been linked with the vacant Scotland manager's job. Maurice Setters is another top name who is on the staff at Wednesday,and he was in Scotland over the weekend, running the rule over Morton's striker Andy Ritchie, along with Mr.Charlton.

As stated earlier, tonight's game is in the form of a testimonial for Wilson Rose, who was one of the most competitive goal-keepers to wear a Trinity shirt for many years - and he was a great favourite with the supporters.

Unfortunately Wilson broke his leg at Frickley in February 1977 and has not played since that time - indeed he has spent a great deal of that time convalescing and visiting hospital for treatment, and still he is not completely cured.

It is not known whether Wilson will have been able to make the trip to Gainsborough for tonight game, but we're asked to thank

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	P.	W.	D.	L.	P.	A.	Pts.
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Gateshead	11	3	2	6	8	15	8
Lancaster City	8	2	3	3	9	10	7
Boston United	8	2	3	3	7	8	7
Bangor City	10	2	3	5	9	16	7
Workington	9	2	2	5	3	10	6
Macclesfield Town	10	2	2	6	9	24	6
Morecambe	9	2	1	6	10	15	5
South Liverpool	8	2	1	5	6	20	5
Burton	9	1	3	5	6	14	5
Netherfield	8	2	0	6	5	25	4

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Finally, may we remind you that we're at home again on Saturday when Louth United are visitors in the second qualifying round of the FA Cup, Kick Off is at 3.p.m. and your support will be appreciated for what is expected to be a really keen encounter against a team that are virtually our Lincolnshire neighbours.

LEAGUE TABLE

	F.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Matlock Town	11	9	1	1	27	9	19
Mossley	9	7	1	1	24	9	15
Runcorn	10	7	2	1	23	9	15
Altrincham	11	6	3	2	24	11	15
Goole Town	9	6	3	0	15	7	15
Northwich Victoria	12	5	3	4	14	10	13
Stafford Rangers	11	4	4	3	13	9	12
Barrow	8	5	1	2	13	10	11
Scarborough	11	3	5	3	16	10	11
Frickley Athletic	10	4	1	5	14	9	9
Southport	10	3	3	4	12	15	9
Workshop	10	2	5	3	15	18	9

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